



1995 ASSEMBLY BILL 247

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1 **AN ACT to amend** 29.99 (3m) of the statutes; **relating to:** the hunting of elk and
2 providing a penalty.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, a person who is convicted of unlawfully hunting a moose is subject to a forfeiture of not less than \$1,000 nor more than \$2,000. In addition, the person's hunting approvals are revoked, and he or she may not obtain hunting approvals for a period 3 to 5 years. This bill applies the same forfeiture provisions and the same restrictions regarding hunting approvals for the unlawful hunting of elk.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

3 **SECTION 1.** 29.99 (3m) of the statutes is amended to read:

4 29.99 (3m) For unlawfully hunting a moose or an elk, by a forfeiture of not less
5 than \$1,000 nor more than \$2,000 and the mandatory revocation of all hunting
6 approvals issued to the person. In addition, no hunting approval may be issued to
7 the person for the time period specified by the court. The time period specified shall
8 be not less than 3 years nor more than 5 years following the date of conviction under
9 this subsection.

10 **SECTION 2. Initial applicability.**

